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JUNE  
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# SAN FRANCISCO OASIS

Pre-Convention Ceremonial  
June 18<sup>th</sup>

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| JULIAN D. HARRIES  | High Priest and Prophet Emeritus |
| WM. L. HUGHSON     | Oriental Guide                   |
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| DON C. ELLIOT      | First Ceremonial Master          |
| ALFRED J. GOCK     | Second Ceremonial Master         |
| JOHN A. MACREADY   | Marshal                          |
| HARRY K. WOLFF     | Orator                           |
| OTTO F. GRUNDEL    | Captain of the Guard             |
| CLEM T. REESE      | Outer Guard                      |

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| Director, Uniformed Organizations         | - | DON C. ELLIOTT         |

(Other committee chairmen and the personnel of committees  
will be published in later Bulletins)



Nobles:

As your Oriental Guide, I send you fraternal Shrine greetings and also extend to you my sincere thanks for the honor you have conferred on me by election to this first elective office.

Islam Temple has a big task before it this year with the coming Convention, but with your co-operation the job will be well done and will reflect credit upon our Temple.

The Convention is only nine weeks away, and as the Chairman of the Automobile Committee, I urge you to register your cars with my committee so that I may assign you to the time best suited to you to help entertain our visiting Nobles and their ladies.

We must all put our shoulder to the wheels of the Convention Program and let the visitor know that Good Cheer and Progress is the motto of the Convention and of our Temple.

Please help your Temple and help me as Automobile Chairman by sending in the automobile registration card, printed elsewhere in this issue.

With kindest regards and expecting your co-operation,  
Yours in the Faith,

WILLIAM L. HUGHSON,  
Oriental Guide,  
Chairman Automobile Committee.

## Come and Hear Your Temple's Business

### REGULAR STATED MEETING

Thursday Evening, June 9, 1932, at the Temple



After the meeting, for your refreshment

### A VAUDEVILLE SHOW

and something different in Door Prizes for the lucky ones.

So reads the law

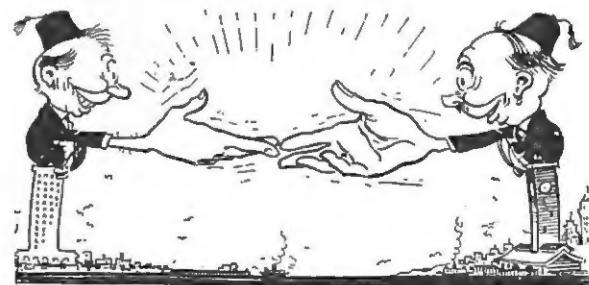
HERMAN WERTSCH,  
Recorder.

By order of

JOHN H. SKEGGS,  
Illustrious Potentate.

## Recorder's Rave for June

What shall the Recorder say? That is the question.



HELLO, NOBLE! is always good and friendly. Use this whenever you meet another Noble and soon you and he will smile and then we will have miles and miles of smiles.

This is good tonic for all of us who wear the Scimitar and Crescent. Of course good tonic for the Recorder is the old adage, "Enclosed find check." Get your card before the BIG DOINGS of the July Convention.

## 200 NEEDED FOR JUNE 18 CEREMONIAL

### CANDIDATES

of course we MUST have



### CANDIDATES

as we CAN'T put on a show without

### CANDIDATES

and we NEED

### CANDIDATES

JUST as much as the



### CANDIDATES

need us, so bring PLENTY of

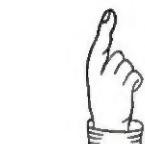
### CANDIDATES

with the assurance that YOU and the



### CANDIDATES

will be made VERY happy.



## 200 NEEDED FOR JUNE 18 CEREMONIAL

## NOBLES, GET THAT CANDIDATE!

### SPECIAL!

TO THIS CLASS OF CANDIDATES  
No charge for 1932 dues

This is only for the pre-Convention Class



See 'em  
Rope 'em  
Sign 'em

Which Team Are YOU Working With?  
Who Are Your RIVAL TEAM MATES?  
The winning Team will be given a dinner  
by the Potentate. Yum, Yum!

### MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

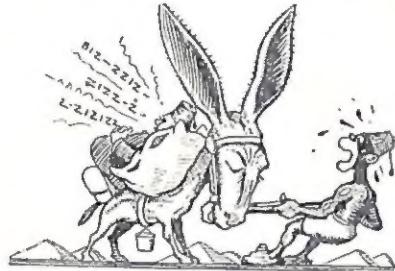
Past Potentate Howard M. McKinley, chairman  
Thomas F. Gunn, vice-chairman

#### TEAM

| TEAM                             | NICKNAME                | CAPTAIN           |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Divan.....                       | "Hopefuls"              | Herman Wertsch    |
| Past Potentates.....             | "Has Beens"             | Philip A. Erbes   |
| Patrol.....                      | "Steppers"              | Julius Smith      |
| Band.....                        | "Tooters"               | Henry Auerbach    |
| Chanters.....                    | "Birdies"               | Charles Lamp      |
| Arabians.....                    | "Tom Toms"              | Elmer O. Hinman   |
| Lunch Club.....                  | "Feeders"               | Charles E. Moore  |
| House Committee.....             | "Clubbers"              | Michael Rothman   |
| Section Crew.....                | "Wreckers"              | Donald Day        |
| Greeters.....                    | "Bullers"               | M. T. Kresteller  |
| California Scottish Rite.....    | "Geary Pioneers"        | Hiram Hutchings   |
| San Francisco Scottish Rite..... | "Sutter Pioneers"       | R. A. Peabody     |
| California Commandery.....       | "California Knights"    | Cliff Langford    |
| Golden Gate Commandery.....      | "Golden Gate Knights"   | Hal McKean        |
| San Francisco Commandery.....    | "San Francisco Knights" | Claudius Marckley |
| Shrine Clubs: Fresno.....        | "Rais'em and Sign'em"   | L. G. Jeffrey     |
| Marin.....                       | "Marvelous Marin"       | G. G. Vanderlip   |
| San Jose.....                    | "Dirigibles"            | Chris H. Smith    |
| Peninsula.....                   | "Commuters"             | John E. Layng     |
| Santa Cruz.....                  | "Beach Combers"         | James N. Dier     |
| Monterey.....                    | "First Settlers"        | Guy S. Curtis     |
| 1931 Class.....                  | "Babies"                | George J. Steiger |

Our Membership Must Go Over the 10,000 Mark at this Ceremonial

# NOBLES! GET THAT CANDIDATE



A SHOW THAT WILL HIT THE BULL'S EYE

CIVIC AUDITORIUM

Saturday, June 18, 1932—7:30 P. M.

CEREMONIAL

NEW STUNTS AND NEW LAUGHS FOR YOU



GEORGE WASHINGTON BI-CENTENNIAL  
PAGEANT

A fitting show for this memorial year

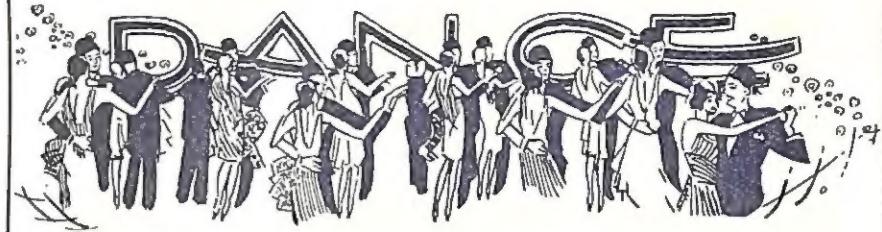
BUSINESS SESSION—for election of candidates only at the Temple, 4 p. m.

FIRST SECTION OF RITUAL WORK—at the Temple at 4 p. m.

GET YOUR ONE CANDIDATE FOR OUR CEREMONIAL

You will enjoy watching him go over the hot sands.

Remind your candidate that the Shrine has over half a million members who enjoy a hearty laugh and who are sponsoring the greatest humanitarian work undertaken by any organization.



# DINNER DANCE

(By Popular Request)

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 21, 1932

(The Longest Day in the Year)

7:30 P. M.

ST. FRANCIS HOTEL

TED FIO RITO <sup>AND HIS</sup> ORCHESTRA

("The Sweetest Music This Side of Heaven")

AND  
THE  
PRICE

\$2.00 per  
person

TUXEDO  
AND  
FEZ

At our Leap Year Dinner Dance on February 29th two hundred were unable to secure reservations. NUF CED!

LIONEL B. SAMUEL, Chairman

AL. J. GOCK, Chairman General Entertainment Committee

Detach and Mail With Your Remittance IMMEDIATELY

ISLAM, TEMPLE, 650 Geary Street.

ENCLOSED PLEASE FIND CHECK FOR \$..... COVERING.....  
RESERVATIONS FOR ISLAM TEMPLE DINNER DANCE JUNE 21, 1932.

Name .....

Telephone .....

Address .....

Make your reservations at Islam Temple only

## SHRINE MOVIE PAGEANT ATTRACTS STARS

Noble Harold Lloyd, Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, 32°, Laura La Plante, Joan Crawford, Al Jolson, and many other stars of the movies will participate in the "Hollywood Electrical Pageant" at the Shrine Convention in the Civic Center Stadium on the night of July 28th.



ABOVE—William M. Coffman, Noble Wallace Beery, Governor James Rolph, Jr., and Convention Director General William H. Woodfield, Jr., conferring on the Governor's Motion Picture Participation Committee of which Noble Beery and Noble Louis B. Mayer, president of the Motion Picture Producers, are honorary vice-chairmen.

Get your Grand Stand Tickets now for the Movie Electrical Pageant.  
It will be a memory of beauty to cherish always.

## Here's Some Dope on the Gala Shrine Convention Week, July 24-29

SUNDAY—Arrival of Shrine trains.

MONDAY—Arrival of Shrine trains. Recorders' Association annual meeting.

TUESDAY—Grand Opening Parade, Imperial Council Sessions and Official Welcome by Governor, Mayor, etc.

WEDNESDAY—"Mardi Gras" of Industry Parade of Floats. Uniformed Bodies Night Parade, Imperial Council Sessions.

THURSDAY—Uniformed Drills and Concert. Imperial Council Sessions. Motion Picture Electrical Pageant and Review of Stars of the Cinema.

FRIDAY—Farewell to departing Shrine trains.

## NOBLES! SIGN UP NOW FOR THE ISLAM TEMPLE POST-CONVENTION CARAVAN to HAWAII



Sailing from San Francisco July 29th on the Matson liner S. S. Monterey.

Returning on her sister ship, the S. S. Mariposa, August 17th. Total inclusive cost, with side trips, hotel, steamer chairs—every expense included—

\$345.00

Write now to

ERNEST L. WEST,

Transportation Chairman,  
101 Post Street.

SEE ENCLOSED FOLDER FOR DETAILS



## NOBLES, ATTENTION!

The Grand Stand Committee needs one hundred Nobles to act as Assistants on the Grand Stands for the Convention Parades

## WILL YOU HELP?

Send your name and address to

ERNEST L. WEST, Chairman

Grand Stands Committee

3076 Palace Hotel

DO YOU LIKE TO CAMP? DO YOU LIKE THE REDWOODS AND THE GREAT OUT-DOORS?

### ISLAM REDWOODS SHRINE

#### SPECIAL CONSIDERATION FOR OUR NOBLES

The Trustees feel that some of the Nobility and their families will be interested in camping in their own Redwood Grove. You and your family can take a camping vacation at the Redwoods by communicating with our Superintendent Edward Blockley at Box 123, Palo Alto, and secure from him a location for a camping site and for a specified time for your vacation outing. Campers must furnish all of their own camping and cooking equipment.

#### Interesting Information from the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children

##### SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

April 1, 1931, to March 31, 1932

|   |      |
|---|------|
| Number of patients admitted from waiting list.....              | 205  |
| Number of patients readmitted.....                              | 148  |
| Operations (142 operating days).....                            | 881  |
| Casts applied.....  | 957  |
| Braces furnished to hospital patients.....                      | 128  |
| Clinic visits.....  | 3310 |
| New patients examined in Clinic (not admitted to hospital)..... | 344  |
| Casts applied in Clinic.....                                    | 431  |
| Braces applied in Clinic.....                                   | 220  |
| Types of cases—Hospital and Clinic:                             |      |
| Infantile paralysis.....  | 518  |
| Tuberculosis.....   | 97   |
| Osteomyelitis.....  | 15   |
| Arthritis.....  | 18   |
| Congenital deformities.....                                     | 364  |
| Spastic paralysis.....  | 73   |
| Fractures.....  | 48   |

MAIL THIS FOLDER BACK  
EAST TO A FRIEND AND  
INVITE HIM TO THE  
SHRINE CONVENTION



# HOW MUCH IS A \$1000.00 ?

Well, brother, it's a lot of money when it is badly needed.

Some of these days your wife is going to need it badly, but you will not be able to give it to her. That will be when the Black Camel comes to your home. And that is one of the things that is dead sure going to happen to you, just as it is going to happen to all Nobles.

HOW MUCH MONEY HAS YOUR  
WIFE IN HER PURSE OR BANK  
WHERE SHE CAN GET IT QUICK?

These are days when few of us leave much money with our wives. And if something should happen to us, they would be without any ready money, and would have to appeal to friends until our estates were settled.

It is for that reason the Widows' and Orphans' Fund was started, back in 1919, by a few members of Islam Temple. That a thousand dollars in cash might be hurried to the widow of a Noble, immediately following his death, to take care of immediate expenses, a number of Nobles got together and agreed to contribute a dollar to carry out this wonderful idea. Today three thousand members of Islam are members of the Fund, and as a result, only a few cents need be contributed when a death is reported. If you are not a member, and you are under 51 years of age, become one today. You not only owe it to your wife; but you will have the satisfaction of knowing that you, as a good Noble, are willing to do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

COLEMAN COX

Sign it Now ?

Delays are  
Dangerous



**Widows' and Orphans' Fund, Islam Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.**  
HERMAN WERTSCH, Secretary  
650 Geary Street, San Francisco, Calif.

USE INK ONLY

Date.....  
Enclosed find \$5.00 membership fee, and I certify as a Shriner that I am in good health and a member in good standing in Islam Temple and the prerequisite bodies on the date of signing this application. In case of death, pay to the beneficiary named below, all moneys due from this Fund.

Beneficiary..... Relationship.....

Beneficiary's Address..... Street and Number..... City..... State.....

Member's Signature.....

Member's Date of Birth..... Month..... Year..... Age.....

Month..... Year..... Age.....